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For: PREPARATION OF AN OIL SAMPLE FOR
X-RAY FLUORESCENCE ANALYSIS

Examiner: Y. G. Gakh

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated July 11, 1005, the period for response having been extended one (1) month until November 11, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Amendment includes: Amendments to the Substitute Specification, Amendments to the Claims, Amendments to the Drawings, and Remarks.

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